

HEPATITIS EDUCATION FOR INMATES

HEPATITIS TEST

[Note: In cases where inmates are illiterate and unable to read the test, you may want to use the accompanying transparencies to read the questions and answer choices to the inmate(s).]

1. Hepatitis B is a disease caused by infection with which of the following?
 - a. Bacteria
 - b. Virus*
 - c. Foreign body
2. The hepatitis C virus affects primarily which organ in the body?
 - a. Liver*
 - b. Spleen
 - c. Heart
3. Hepatitis C virus may be spread by
 - a. Sitting next to someone with hepatitis
 - b. Sharing needles to shoot drugs*
 - c. Donating or giving blood
4. How would you know if you had hepatitis?
 - a. Your ankles would swell up
 - b. You might bleed from your nose
 - c. You might have a yellow color to your skin and eyes*
5. The doctor finds hepatitis B by
 - a. Getting an x-ray of the stomach
 - b. Getting a blood test*
 - c. Looking at the skin

6. If you have hepatitis, what should you avoid?
- a. Whiskey*
 - b. Running
 - c. Pears
7. A good way not to get hepatitis B is to
- a. Have no sex
 - b. Take herbs
 - c. Get a shot to stop it*
8. Only children get hepatitis A.
- a. True
 - b. False*
9. The best way to not get viral hepatitis C is by making careful choices.
- a. True*
 - b. False
10. You get which hepatitis by drinking bad water?
- a. Viral hepatitis A*
 - b. Viral hepatitis B
 - c. Viral hepatitis C